

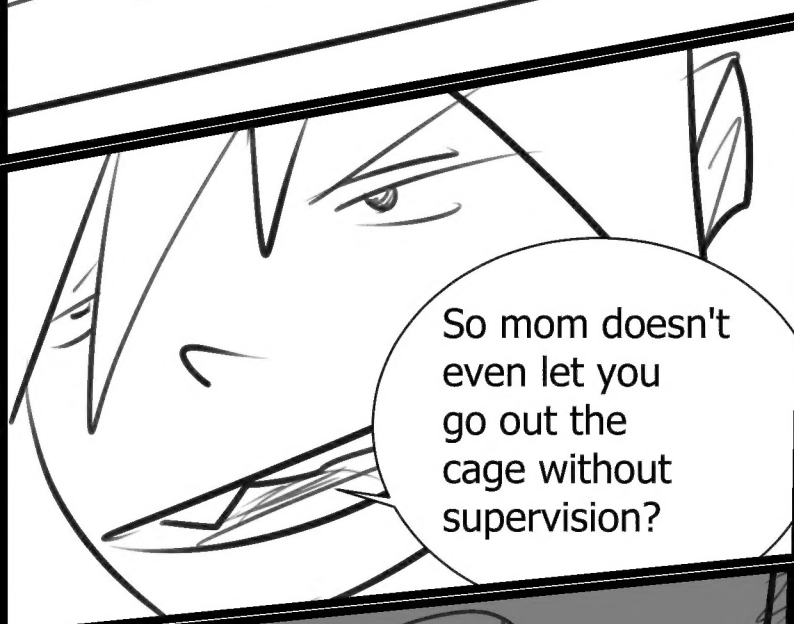
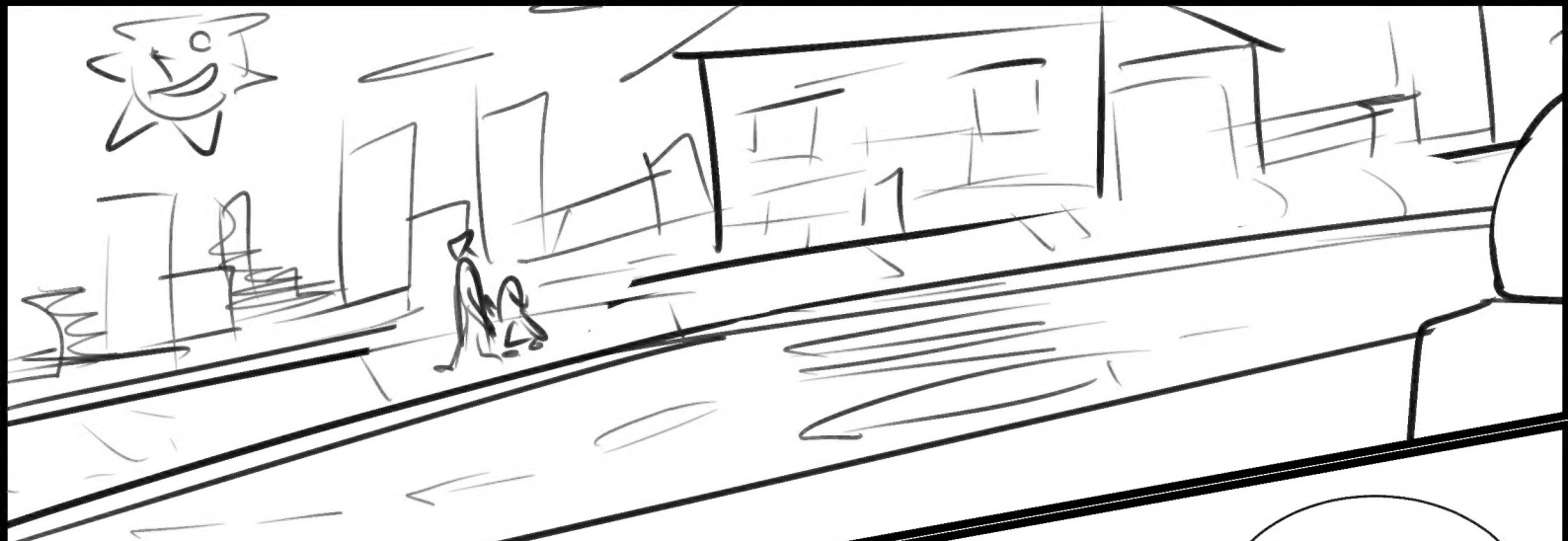
SOUL EATER

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Post...



**A silver soul in a golden cage part 2:
The fiery requiem for the old demon**



So mom doesn't even let you go out the cage without supervision?



Mother says that it is dangerous...



I would've made a joke 'bout gated communities

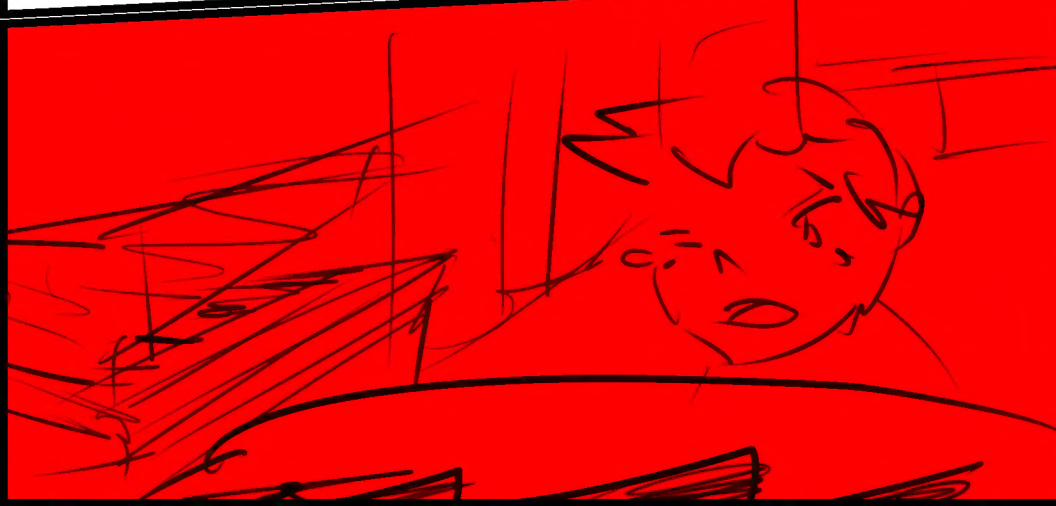
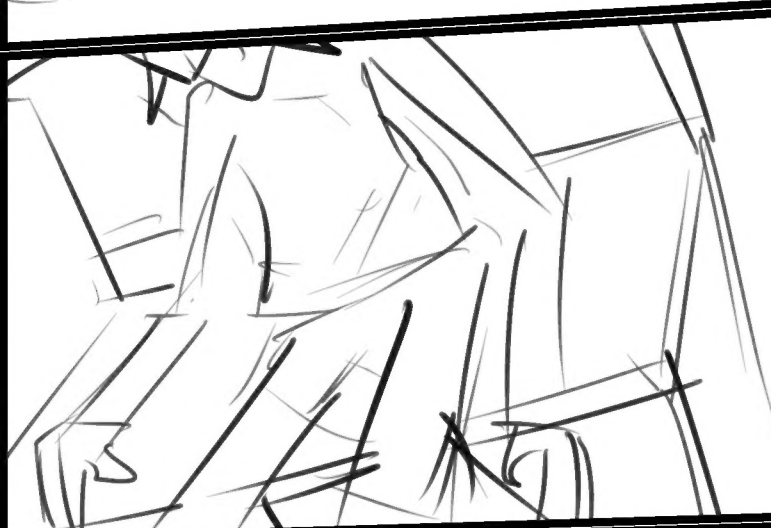
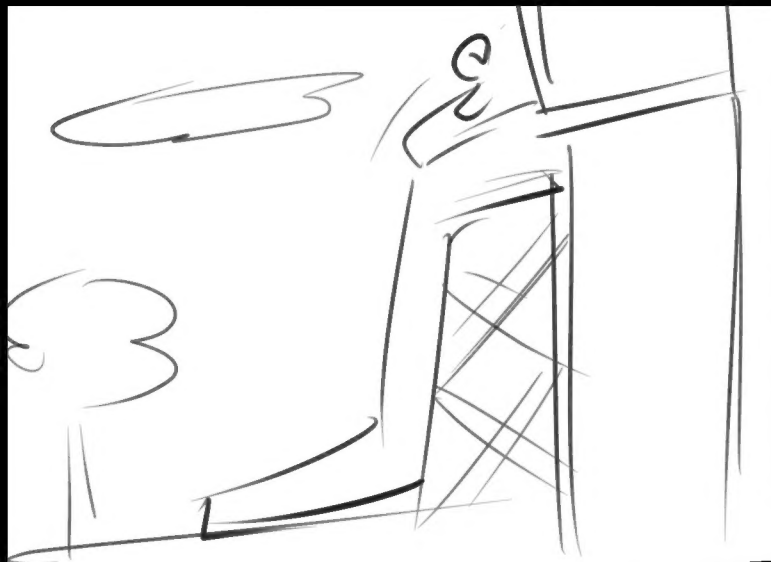
But after what happened a few days ago...



Even if it looks peacefull, I guess madness still has it's effect on the world...



I-Isn't that...?





Got quieter
over the
years, eh?



Stay back!



Let's leave
him alone,
you don't know
what that freak
is gonna do if
he snaps!

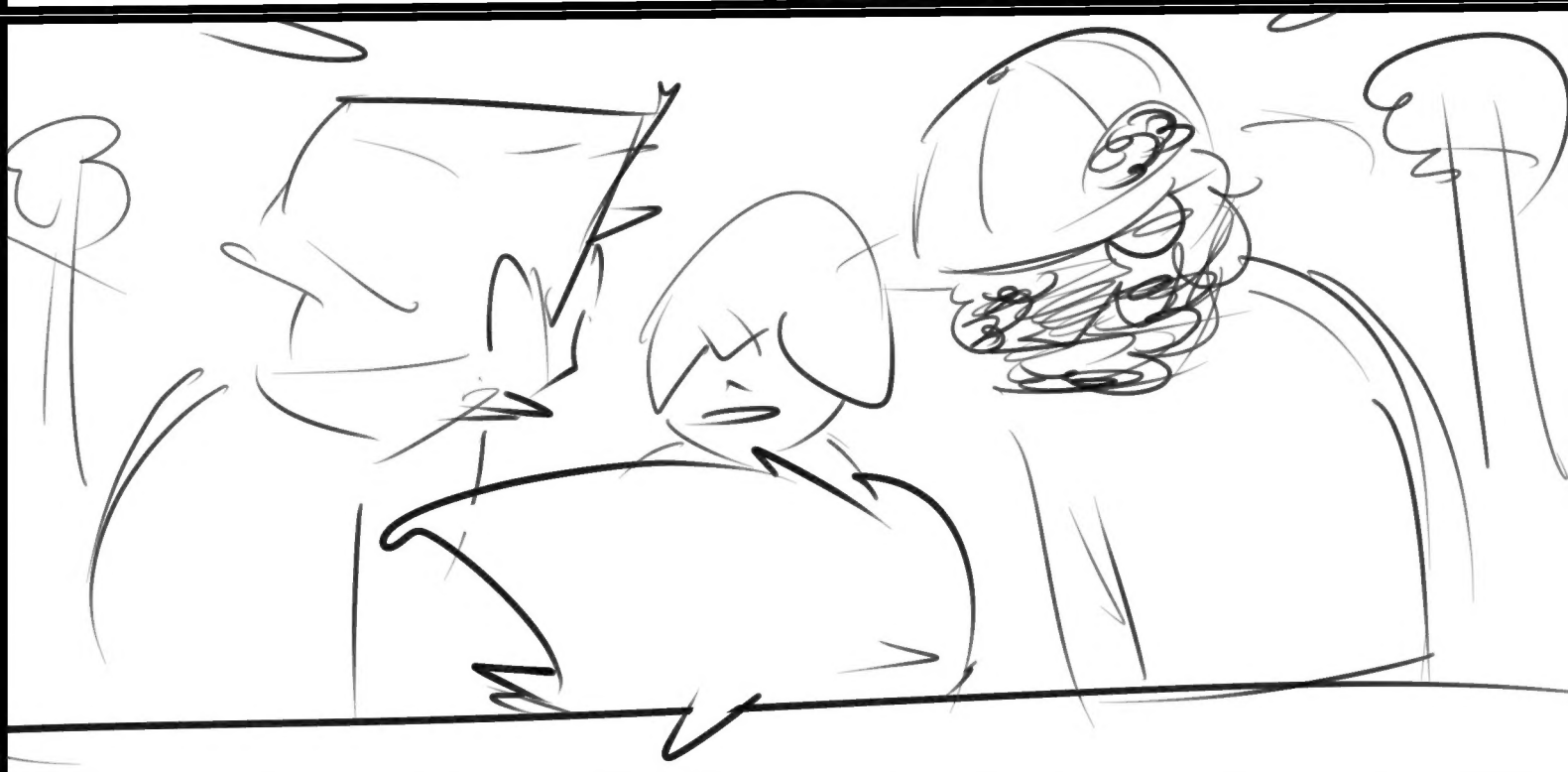


You're scared of that loser?!

I-I mean, you
know with all
the kishineggs
recently that
used to be the lowest
of the low weirdos
in school...



Brother are these people your acquaintances?

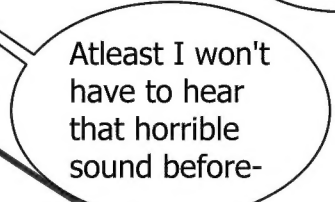


Yeah, I know them...

Why don't you go play for a moment, while I have-



Haha, more of the sharkspawn! One future serial killer was not enough for the famous Evans family or what?



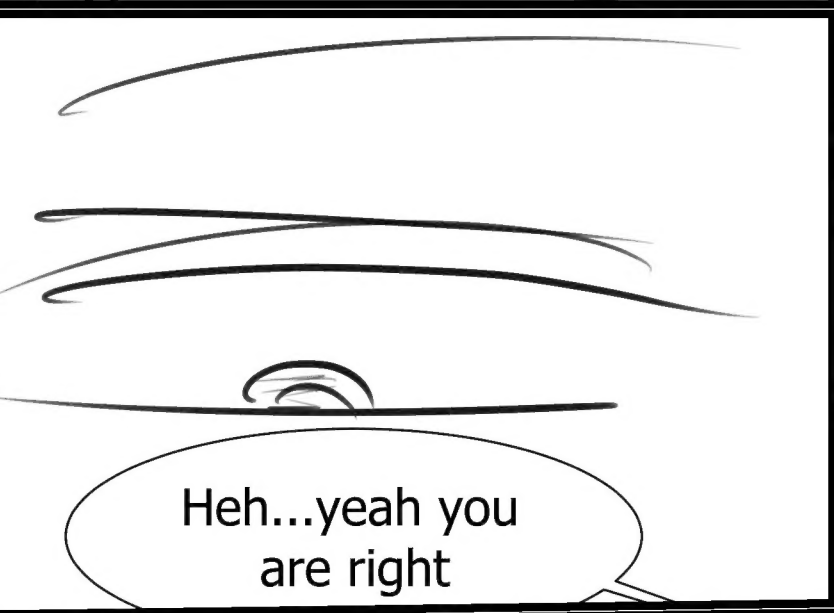


Soul please stop!



Let us just go home before mother gets worried....

It's just words afterall...



Heh...yeah you are right

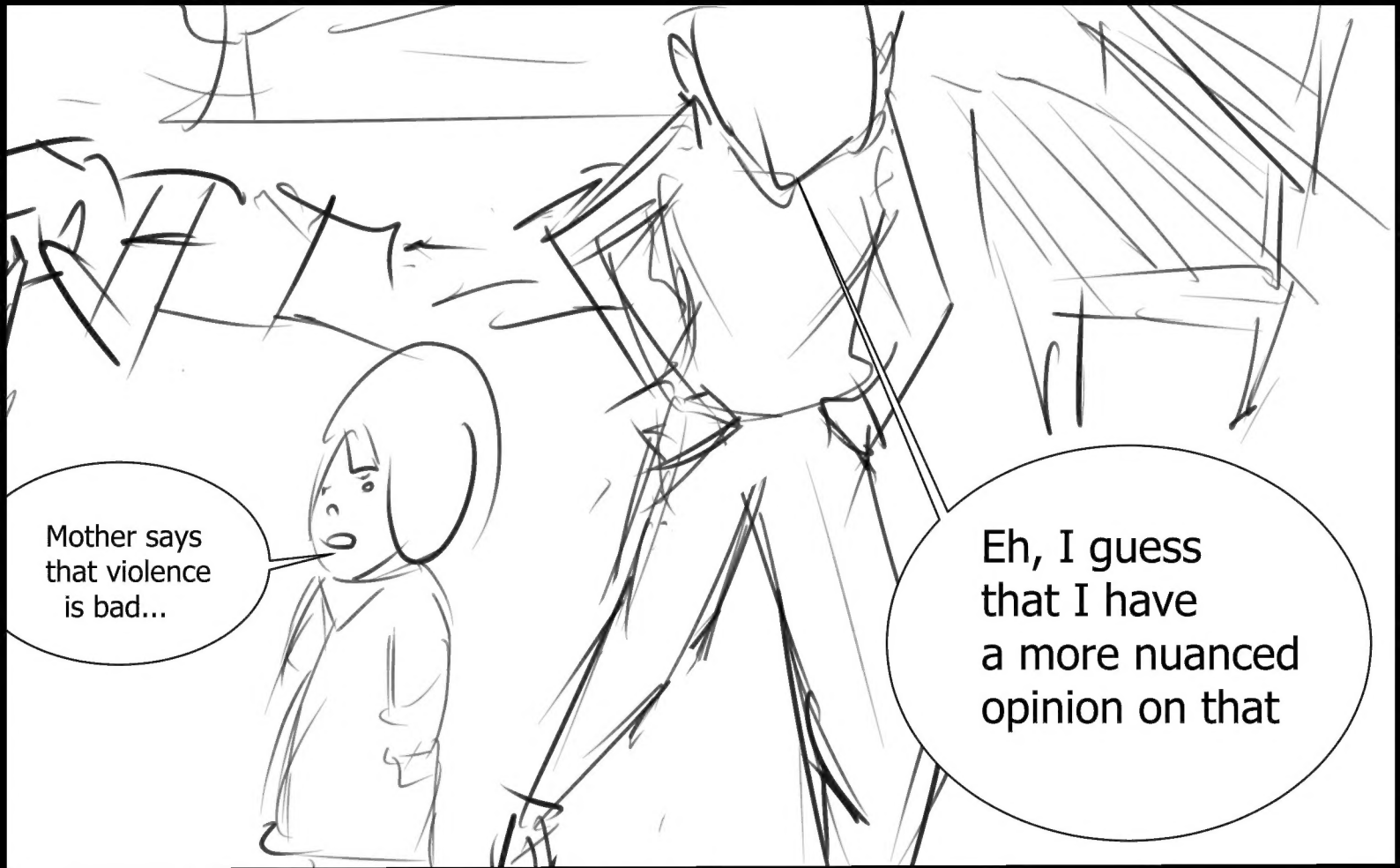


Huch chickened out, cause of the wisdom of a kindergardener?

Nah, making you a foot shorter is a bit too much



But a little punch will be just enough




Mother says
that violence
is bad...


Eh, I guess
that I have
a more nuanced
opinion on that



Sometimes the
right doze of it...



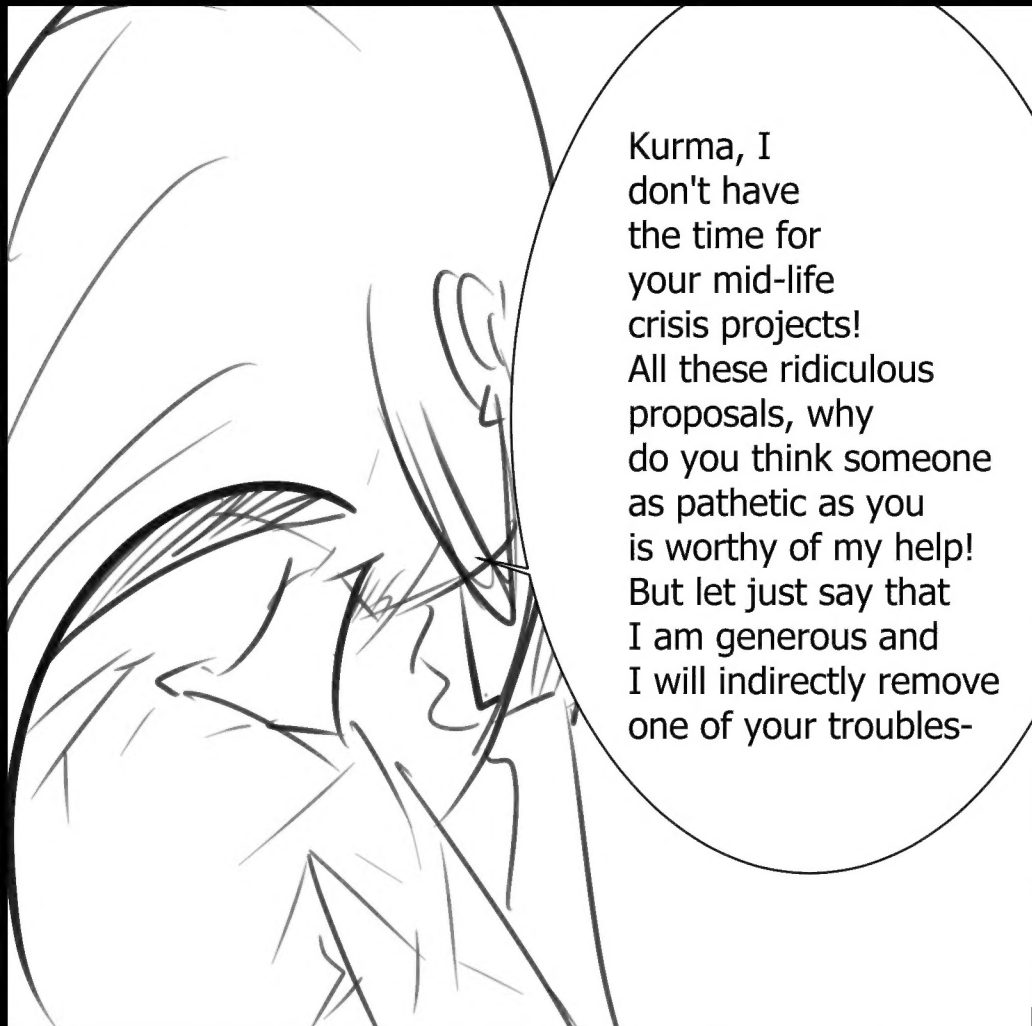
can help you see your mistakes,
well atleast it does to me and
to some friends of mine....



Ain't that
your piano
tutor?

Maybe mother invited Khope,
I mean miss Phonia for dinner?

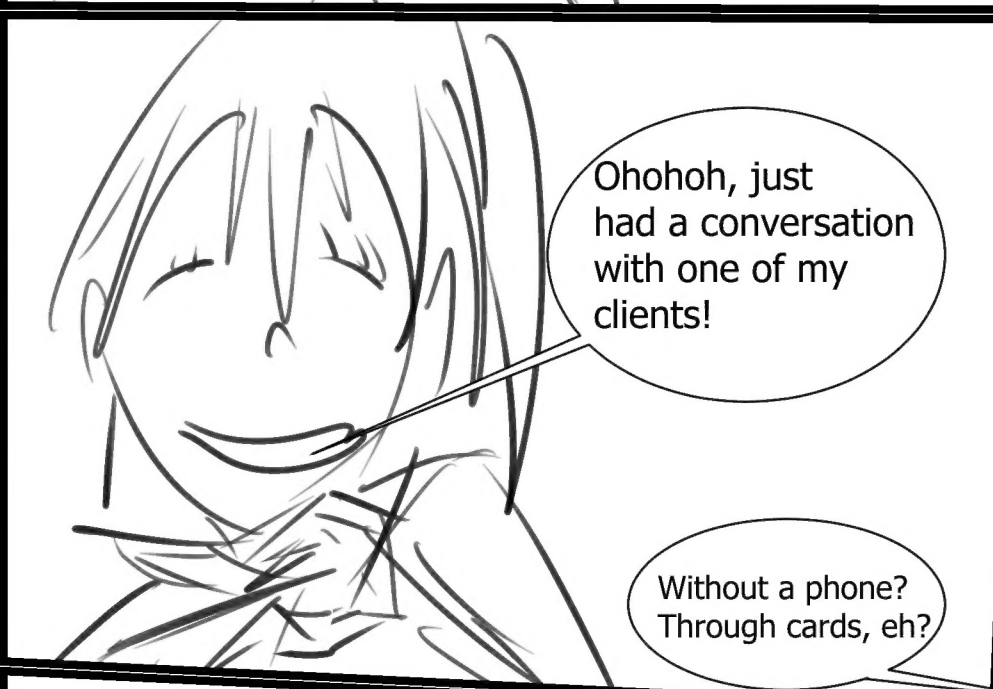




Kurma, I don't have the time for your mid-life crisis projects! All these ridiculous proposals, why do you think someone as pathetic as you is worthy of my help! But let just say that I am generous and I will indirectly remove one of your troubles-

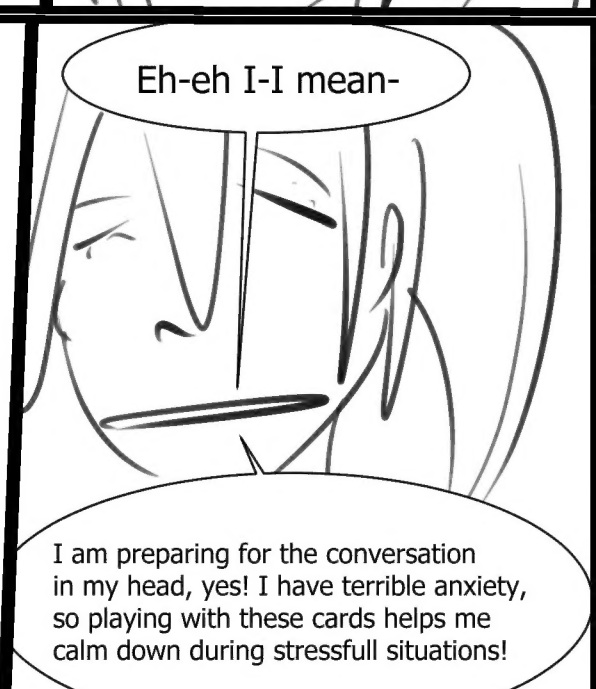


What troubles?



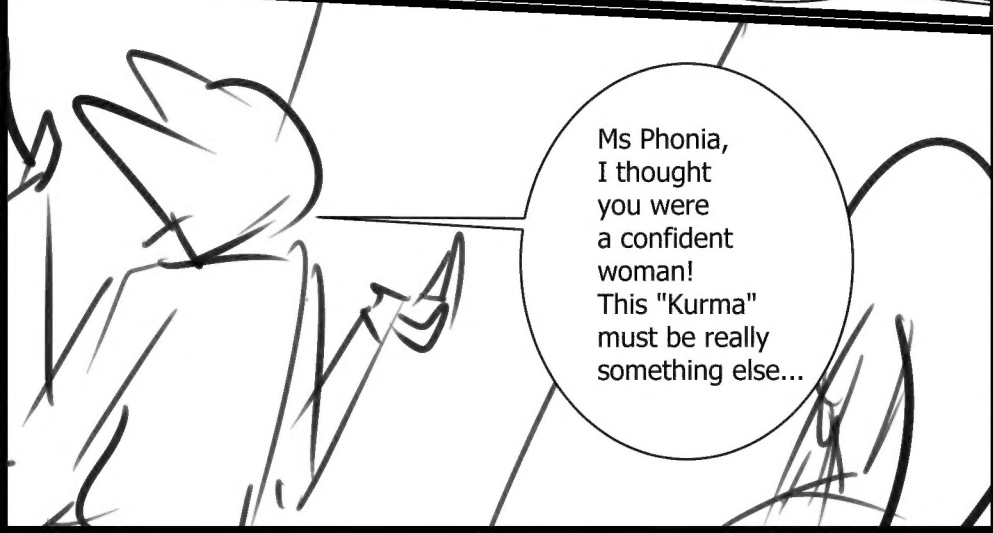
Ohohoh, just had a conversation with one of my clients!

Without a phone?
Through cards, eh?



Eh-eh I-I mean-

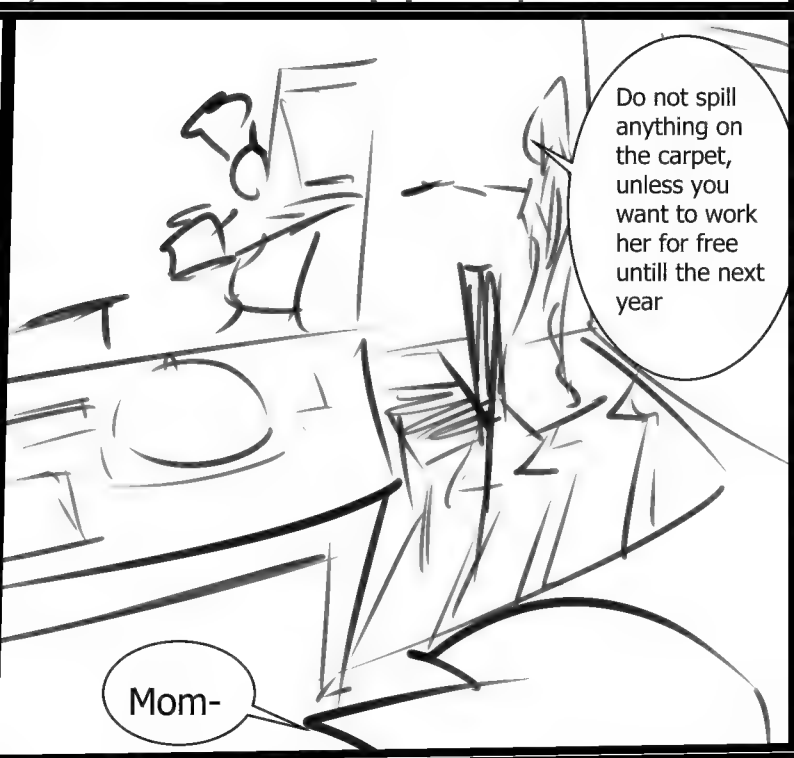
I am preparing for the conversation in my head, yes! I have terrible anxiety, so playing with these cards helps me calm down during stressfull situations!



Ms Phonia, I thought you were a confident woman! This "Kurma" must be really something else...



She must be a witch or something! He, I'm just joking, you know how modern humor is.....





That witch!



Soul,
this
better
be
not
one of
your
jokes
again!



Here, look
at how pretty
the feathers of
this parrot are!




Augh!

Just in time!
Hands of her!




Soul
what
are
you
doing!

My Job!
Protecting
you all from
evil forces
like this
broad!




Ohoho, I didn't know that Soul was so worried about paper cuts, I assure you, these cards edges are so dull, you couldn't use them as a butter knife!

But what a caring brother, hoho, protecting one even against something like that!



Spare us of these lame jokes, just leave before I inform the DWMA or just take matters into my own hands



Soul, please don't punch her, like the bad kid at the park!




What am I hearing about you "punching" somebody?!

I trust you to protect your little sister and you go around showing her how to be a delinquent ??!




No that was-

What's the matter with you? Every time when I think you can't get lower and maybe finally will do the right thing, you go and disapoint me again!



Just go to your room before you kill somebody, we will talk about this tomorrow!




Go to my room?!
Is this the best time to act like I'm still 5-years old? When you all may be in danger of death??!

Oh please Soul, I don't have to pretend when you currently ARE acting like a child, throwing a tantrum because of some petty reason

Acusing someone of being evil just because they said the truth about your horrible piano playing? Even a five year old wouldn't react in this way, screaming bloody murder or whatever you trying to accuse miss Phonia of...



Augh...



Ah!...
What I'm
doing, there
is no time
for this!

Didn't I
eat you?

Time for
what? Getting
grounded while
your family
gets grounded
6 feet under?

That's why I'm here, I'm a
part of you, remember, you
said so yourself!


I thought that
was supposed
to help and not
annoy me even
more

Oh you
thought
that it would
be that easy?
Life isn't as
convenient as
that pretentious
detective show
you subconsciously
based me on

SNAP


I can't just
appear in a
dream and
make all your
worries go away
like that

Where would
be the fun in that?



So what, are you here to just mock me?

Nonono, self-depreciating humor is useful sometimes, but I'm not the biggest fan of it...




At the end, there is no other reason for me being here except for that you are

And as allways, you can just open



the door and leave anytime you want




But you are afraid again!

Yeah, obviously when that vulture could strike at any moment while I'm whinning in here!

Why are you still here in your little save cave then? No!


I think you are afraid of something else, you have a much more pathetic fear!




Losing
your cool!

That is something I don't have
to worry about, a red dwarf who
doesn't have a sense of rhythm?
I will be lame no matter what!


So much for not
liking self-deprecating
humor...



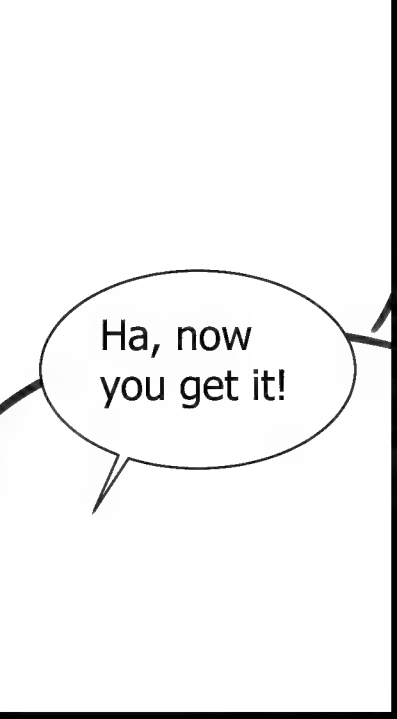
I think
you didn't
get it, I
just insulted
you, didn't
I?




But in the
end there
is no difference
in me insulting
you or myself...



Heh...
Risking
my families lives
just because
I don't want
to look stupid,
there ain't anything
less cool than that,
being afraid in such
a situation is
really lame of me...

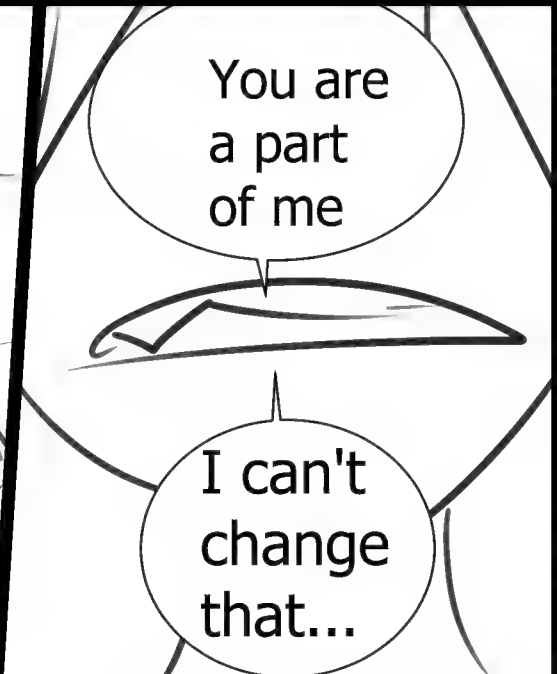


Ha, now
you get it!



So time
to go-

Heh?-




You are
a part
of me

I can't
change
that...




If that
makes me
like certain
music, play
the piano
in a way
others dislike
or have long
conversations
with imaginary
friends like
you...



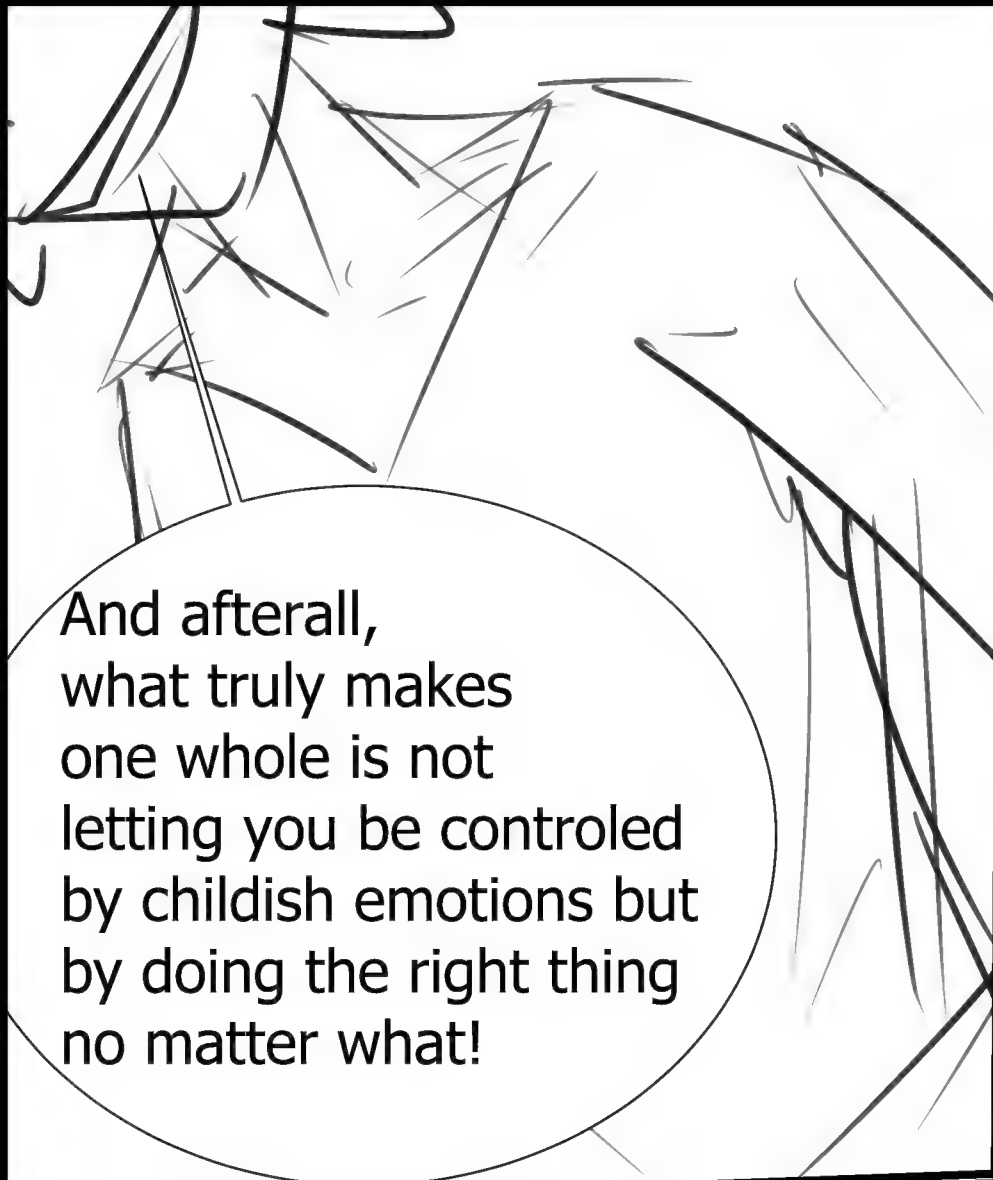
I can live with
that... But if
you make me
go over the line,
lose myself or
show my true
self as being a
monster after all...

Then like
a wild bull,
the horns
have to be
cut off



No, what kind
of imp am I,
if I don't even
have my pride!

Relax, you
still have the
only horn a
man truly needs



And afterall,
what truly makes
one whole is not
letting you be controled
by childish emotions but
by doing the right thing
no matter what!



Even if it makes you
look stupid

Being truly cool is
just laughing off
that what
is in your way,
to act when it is
important





Ohoho, you are here afterall



Mr Evans!




The food must been a bit too much, your wife and daughter seem to have decided to take a quick nap!



It is a shame, you missed the most exciting part! We were all just having fun playing with cards...



Your little Sarah seemed pretty excited, she wanted you to have this one-




The only card I needed, was your business card, but even then I doubt that the information on it is not just false, your name allways did sound strange to me afteralll

Ohohoho, why so paranoid Mr Evans, I like the ring of Khope Phonia quite a bit!


You might have a permanent ring in your ear if you don't drop the act

The apple doesn't fall far from the tree as they say, because no offence, but these violent threats and crazy acusations make you sound like that renegade son of yours

Ah, speaking of my son, recall the time he played the piano after you insisted...



Your criticism rubbed me the wrong way... It wasn't the fact that you described it as subpar, I have to agree with that...



Still, some of the statements you made...
They were simply wrong, somebody of your
expertise should had known that, any professional
musician normally would, as did I

My wife was born
with a incredible
talent for singing,
so she never
had to learn and study,
it all came naturally to
her, so it was
understandable
that she didn't notice...

Claiming that he didn't even know what notes he
was playing? And then out of nowhere pushing the
idea on us that Soul ran away for good, even though
it was your first time meeting him? It started to sound
like some saturday morning cartoon villian scheme..

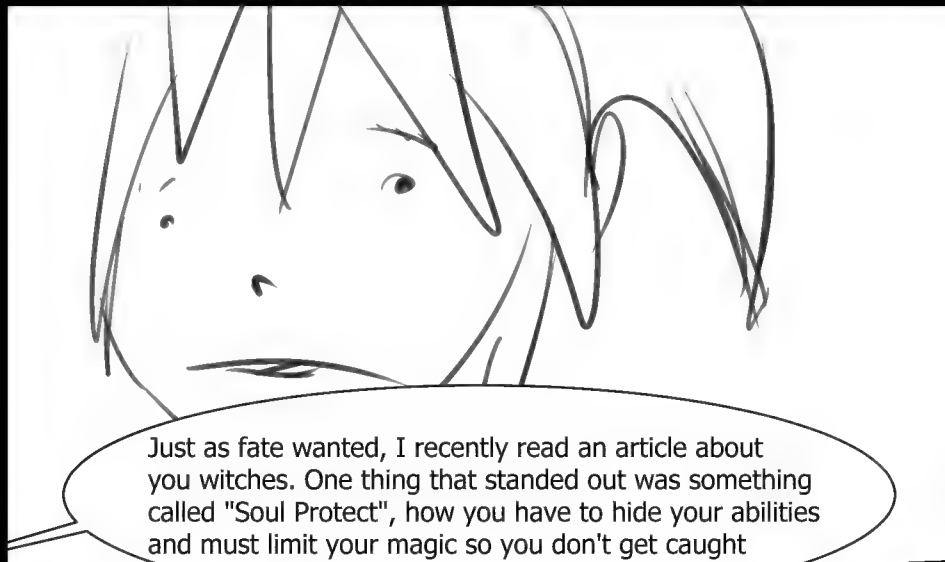
I hoped that
you were just
some psychotic
harpie, reveling
in breaking up
families or
something
of that sorts...

FORMER ACTOR
TURNS KISHINEGG

ARK BIRDMAN

But with my
wife and daughter
unconscious and
my son not here,
the truth seems
both bleaker and
much simpler

You are
a witch!



Just as fate wanted, I recently read an article about you witches. One thing that stood out was something called "Soul Protect", how you have to hide your abilities and must limit your magic so you don't get caught



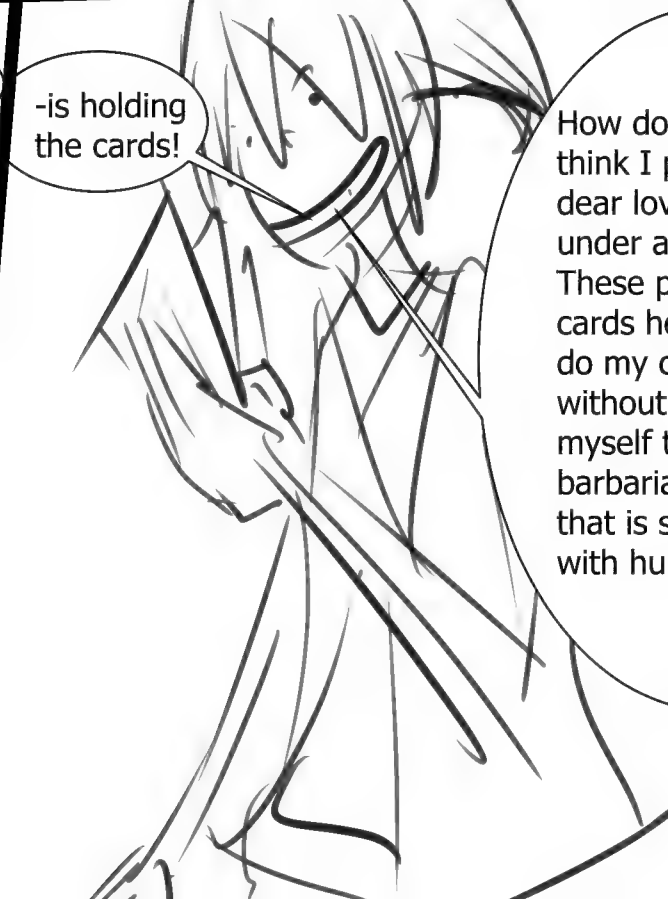
So the deal is simple, if my wife and daughter are really just taking a nap, you go out of the door and never come back



Otherwise, some more extreme methods may be necessary to protect my family, and I know that you will not like them one bit



hohohoho....



-is holding the cards!

How do you think I put your dear loved ones under a spell? These parrot cards help me do my craft without exposing myself to your barbarian kind that is so obsessed with hunting us down!



HOHOHOHO!
What a wonderful bluff, but you forgot, who-



Besides,
I have
other ways
not to get
my hands
dirty...



Such a
shame,
I appreciated
your talent,
but I guess
two birds
in hand are
better than
one in the
bush!



Watch out!

That boy
forgot that
he was
grounded...
No problem




He should
be done
drinking
in the
kitchen
by now



Mission accomplished
Queen Phonia, all
butler are bloody
drunk like a goose
in the royal pound!

Ohohoho!



Even I can crack that egg

Don't overdo it with the confidence, he probably is dangerous!



So am I



TRACK



Oi my hat! You Americans, disrespecting my cylinder is nearly as bad as insulting the crown!



Where did dat wanker go...



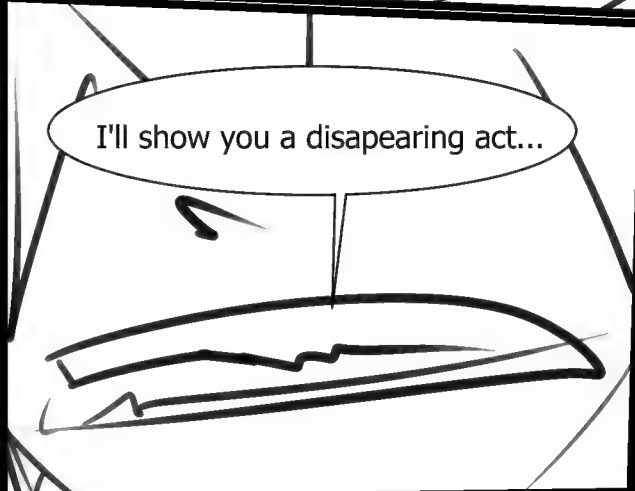
This knife feels a bit sharper than it should be allowed to...



After it took for all the kingdom to put me back together, I can't allow no rebel to crack me again



What is this freak?!!

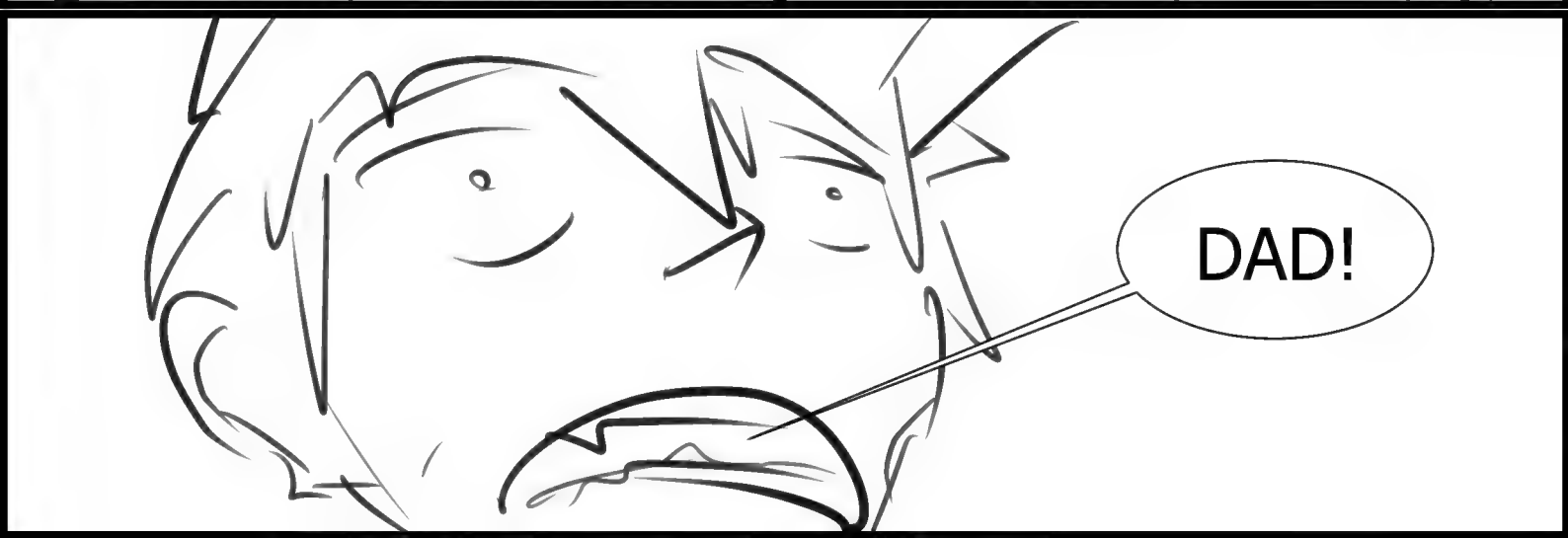




I need all the power I can get



Now you know how all the eggs you cracked for omletes felt like!



DAD!



Soul,
get
your
mother
and sister-



I won't leave you to die here!



Time for
you to croak!

Damn it,
I can't reach
him in time,
unless...



X S WISH



Wait your
turn to die,
the youth
today! No
respect!



What?!

X S WISH

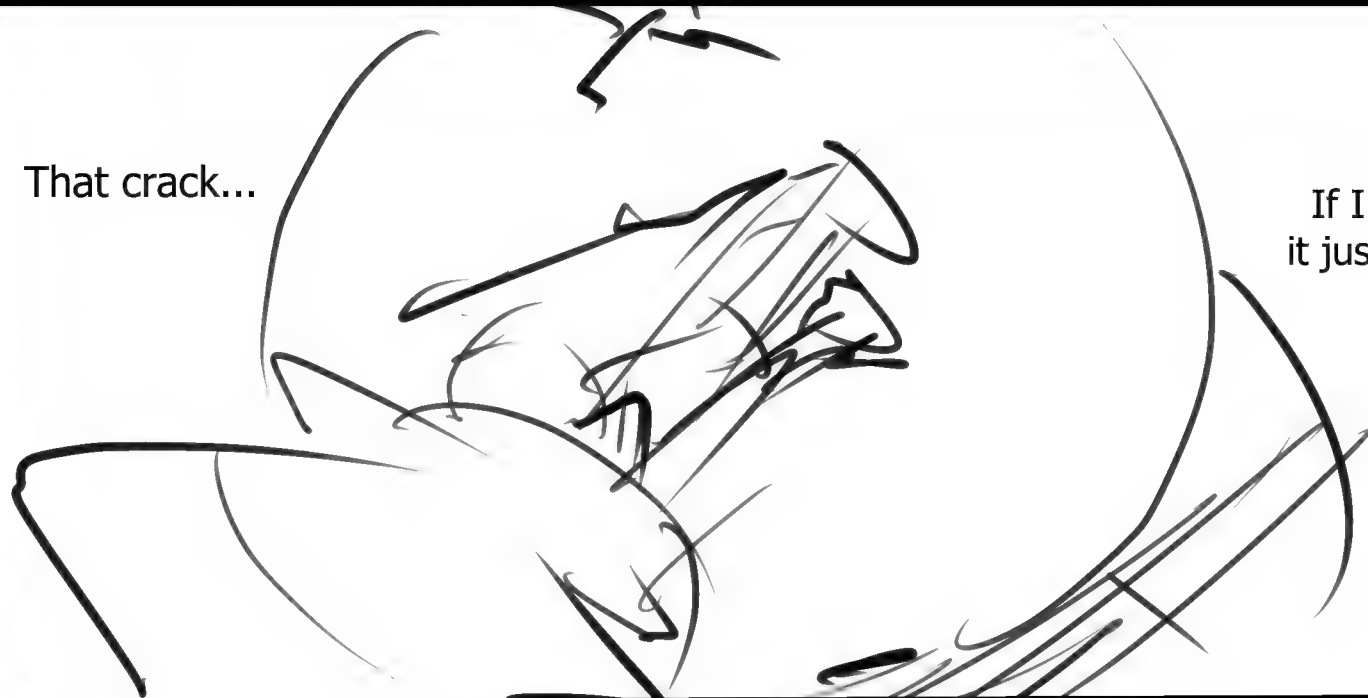


You brat!

Typical american,
even wearing his
dirty shoes on top of
the head of somebody!

That crack...

If I hit
it just right...



swish

Get off get off!

duh

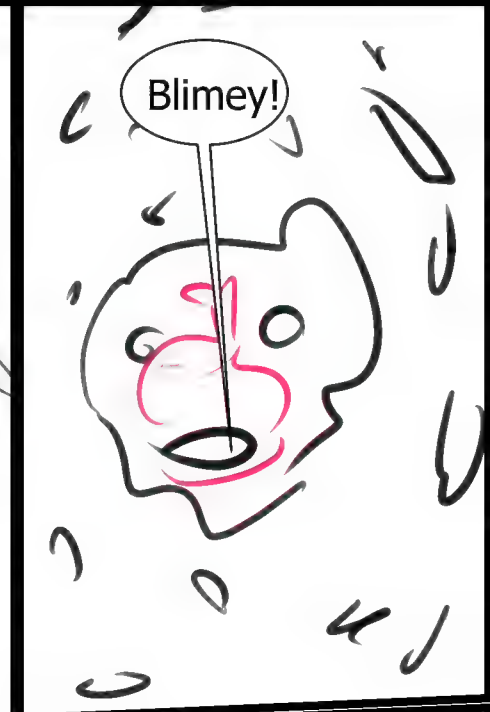
Auuugh!

Soul!





Now you feel
the power of
the empire that
will never crumble!



Blimey!



Ugh...this better
give me the protein
boost I need



Soul, carefull,
you must have
broken something
after the last blow-

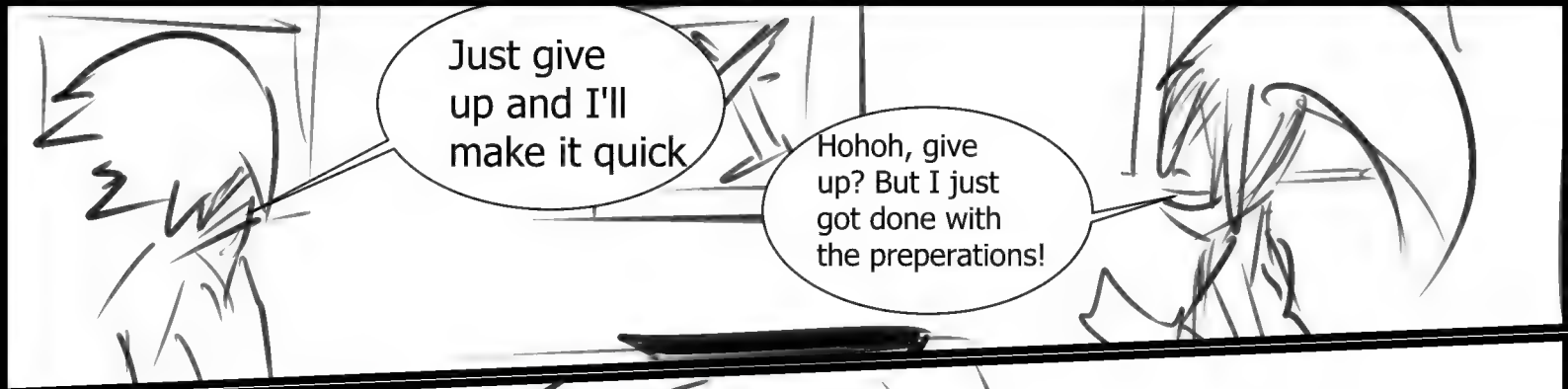
99...



A witches soul
is all I need, how
convenient...

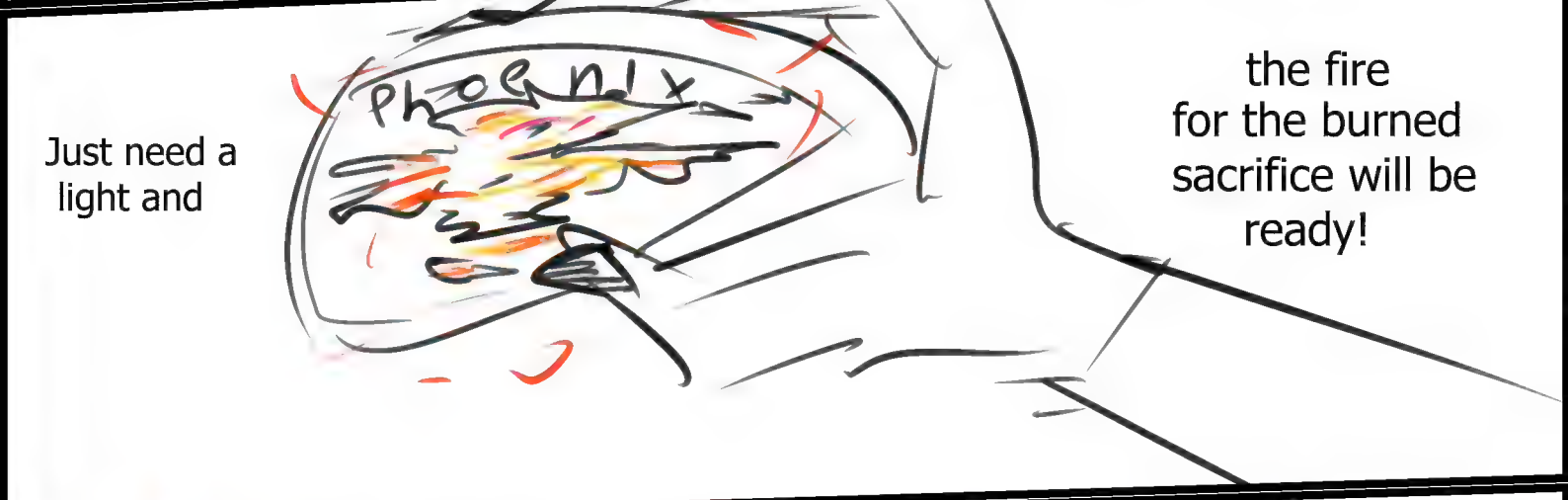
hohoho...

Those goons
were more
rotten than
I thought, to
be taken out
by such a failure
as you...



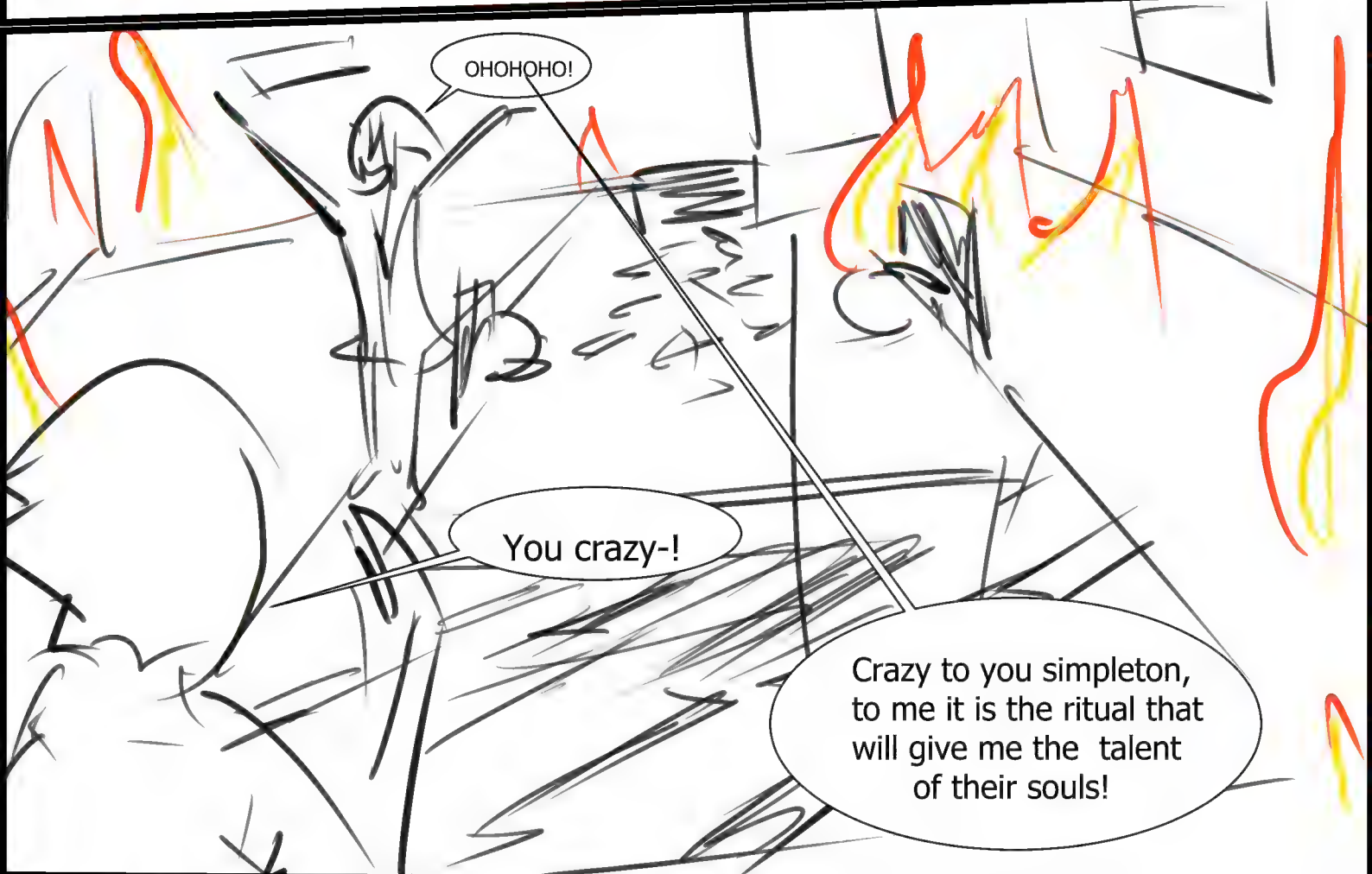
Just give
up and I'll
make it quick

Hohoh, give
up? But I just
got done with
the preparations!



Just need a
light and

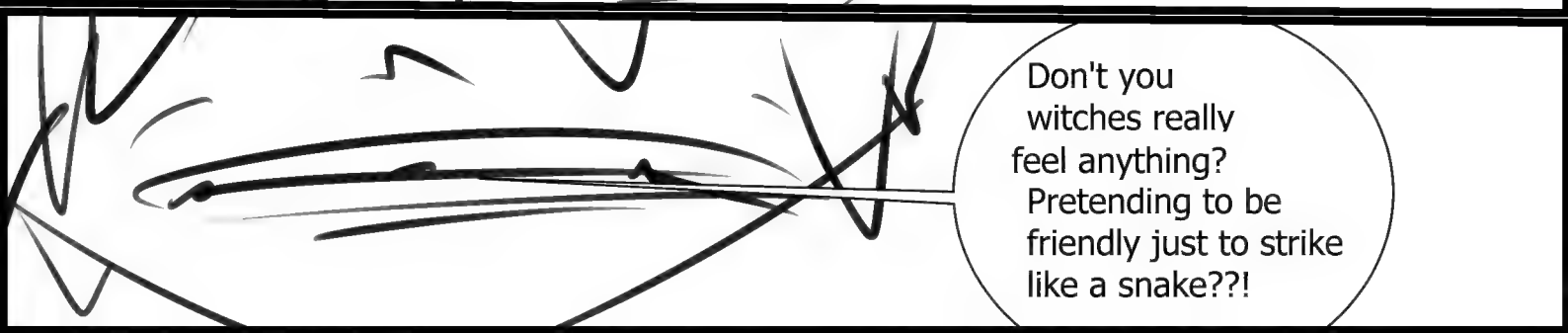
the fire
for the burned
sacrifice will be
ready!




OHOHOHO!

You crazy-!


Crazy to you simpleton,
to me it is the ritual that
will give me the talent
of their souls!




Don't you
witches really
feel anything?
Pretending to be
friendly just to strike
like a snake??!




Ohohoh, wasting
time by giving of
platitudes? How
could I care about
as ridiculous creatures
as you?



Ohoho
so stupid
and pathetic
and helpless-



z z z
I like
your birds
k hope...
z z z



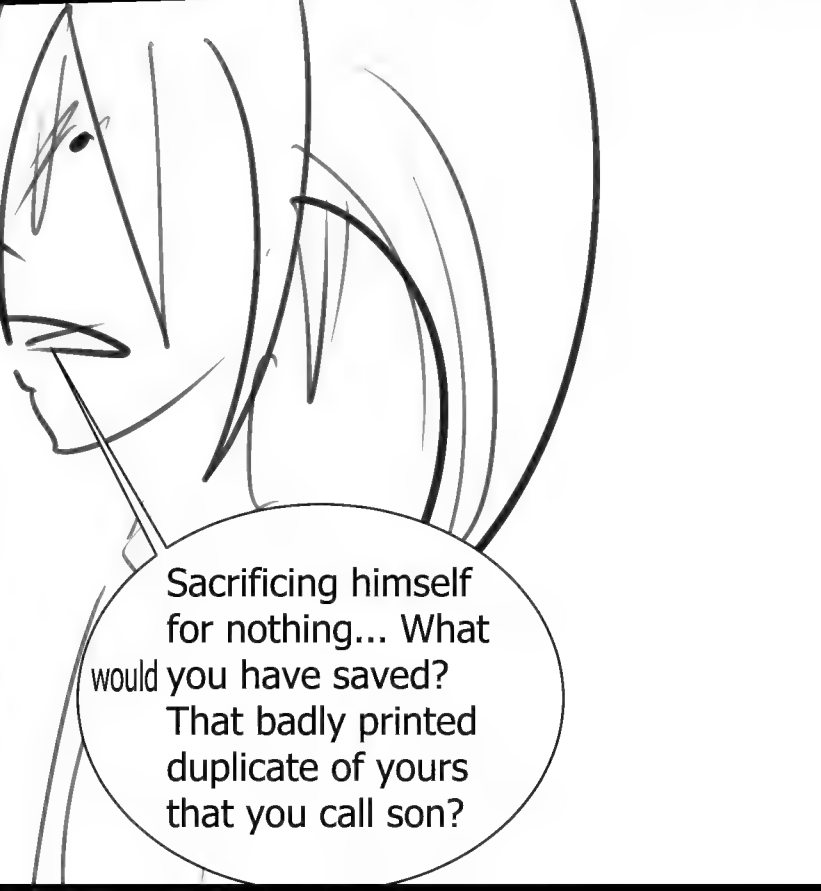
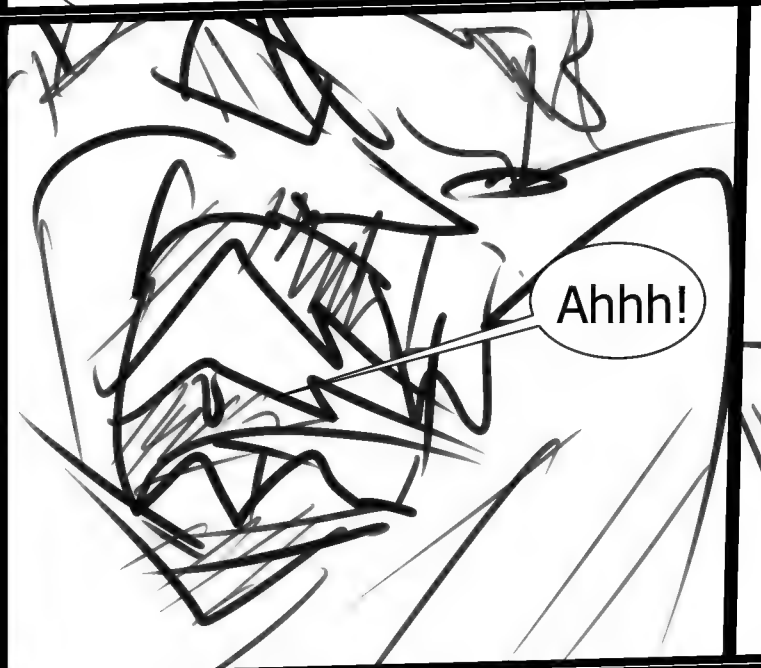
Ahhhh! you!



JAZZ FOR
BEGINNERS



Pelican Piercer

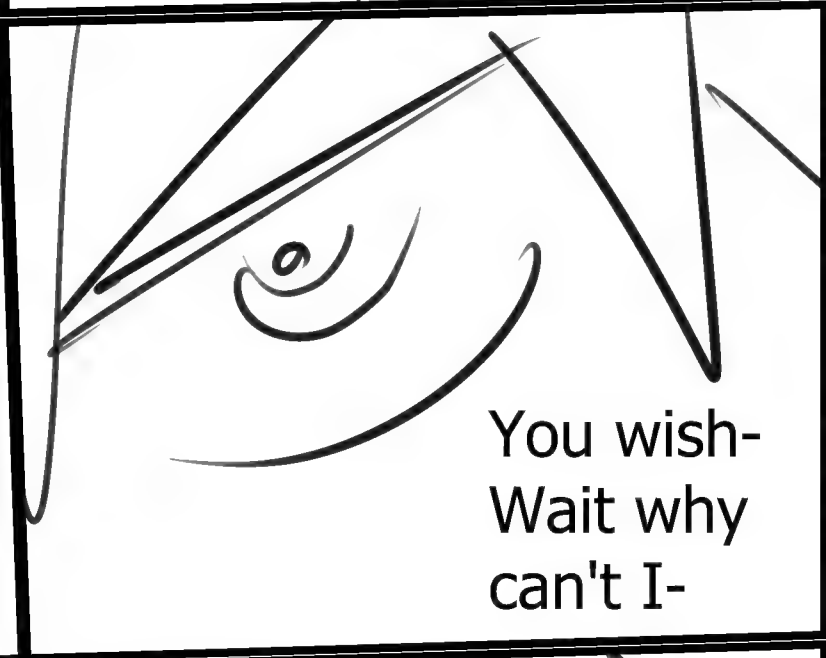




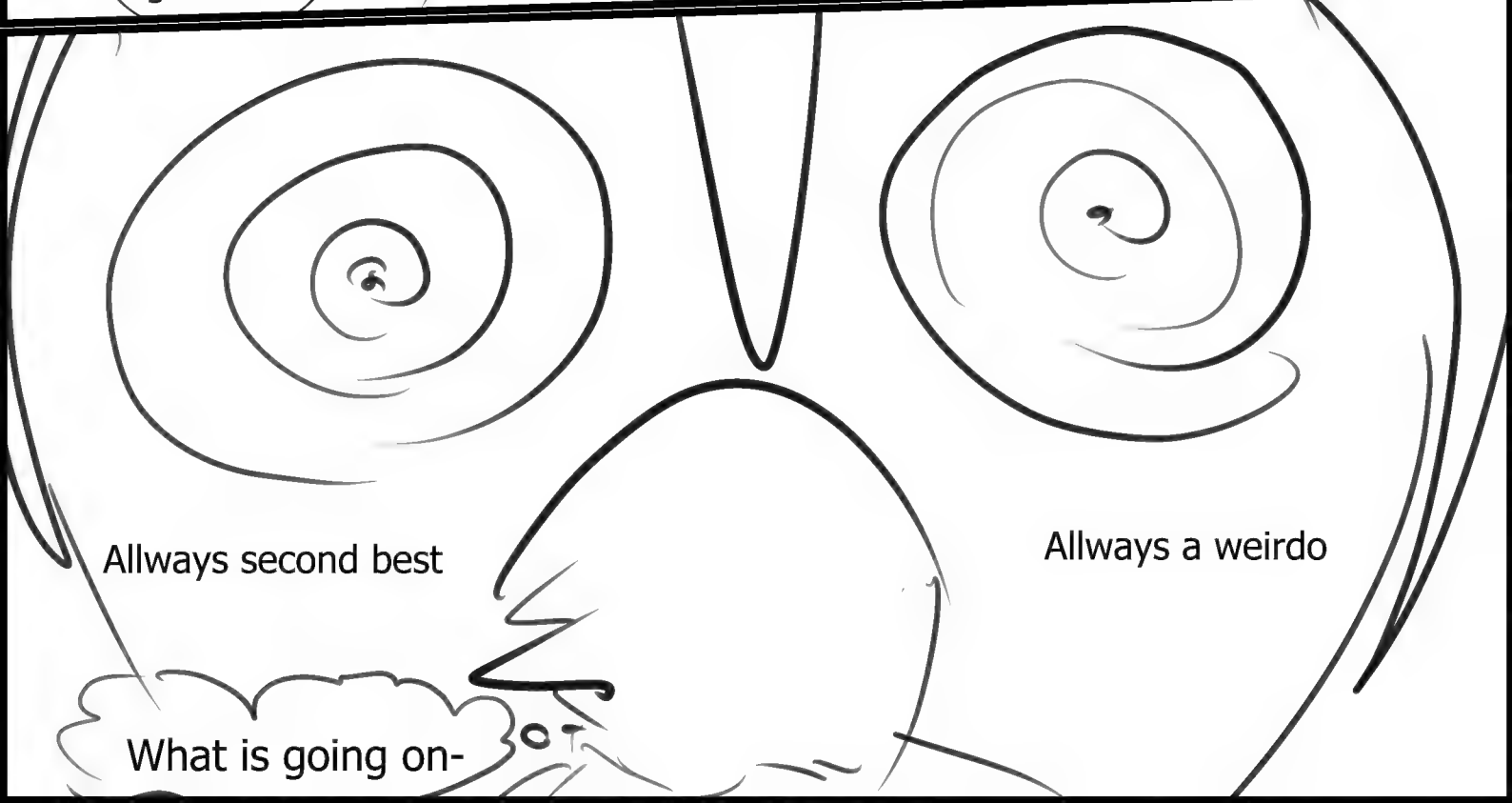
Crap, I have to use it know!



Just let
that hand
go....



You wish-
Wait why
can't I-



Allways second best

Allways a weirdo

What is going on-



Hey wanna play!

Eh ,no!

I saw
him eat
his snot
in class!



What's with
his teeth!

My mommy said
only monsters called
kishins have teeth like
that!



Haha
he looks
stupid!



Like a shark!

Don't touch
him, he bites!

Get away from
him he's gonna
eat your soul!

He probably is an kishinegg!



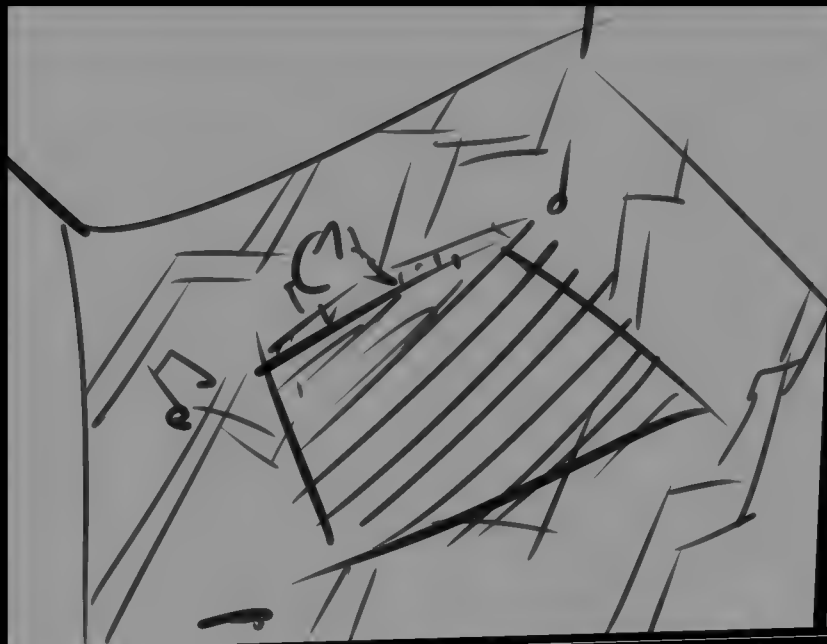
Why would
I eat myself!

Why does he
keep saying
weird stuff
like that

Something
is wrong with
his brain?

Maybe he really
is a kishinegg?

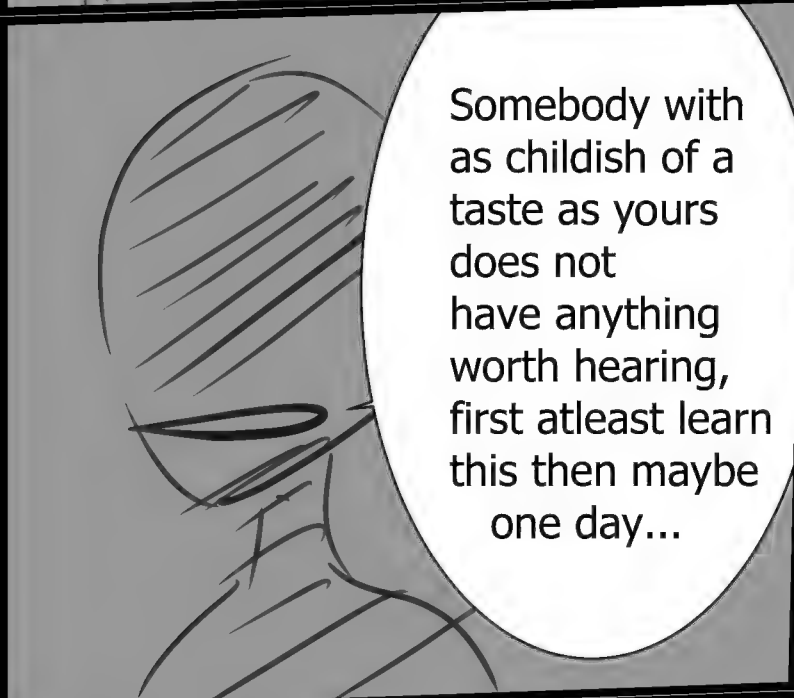
Why is he allways
screaming?



No Soul,
play the piece!



Bu-but it's boring,
I wanna play what
I made!



Somebody with
as childish of a
taste as yours
does not
have anything
worth hearing,
first atleast learn
this then maybe
one day...



I have to play everyday

Maybe then I'll be good enough, to be weird...
When I'm good then they will like me....



See, Mom, Dad, I did it!



Hmm... It
was okay...
You should
have progressed
faster than this...

Wh-
What-



Maybe if I win the contest, then I will be normal, I will be silent, only the music no teeth....



Yeah...
Cool, like
the other kids

Hehe not scary
or weird or pathetic
or...



Oh,haha,
sorry, I
mixed up
the names!



Hahaha,
film it, he's
gonna freak
out at
any moment!



Hahaha!

That's the
heir to the
Evans??!

hahah

How did
this weird
kid make
it so far?

HAHAHA!

Can't even
win a middle
school music
contest!



I won haha!

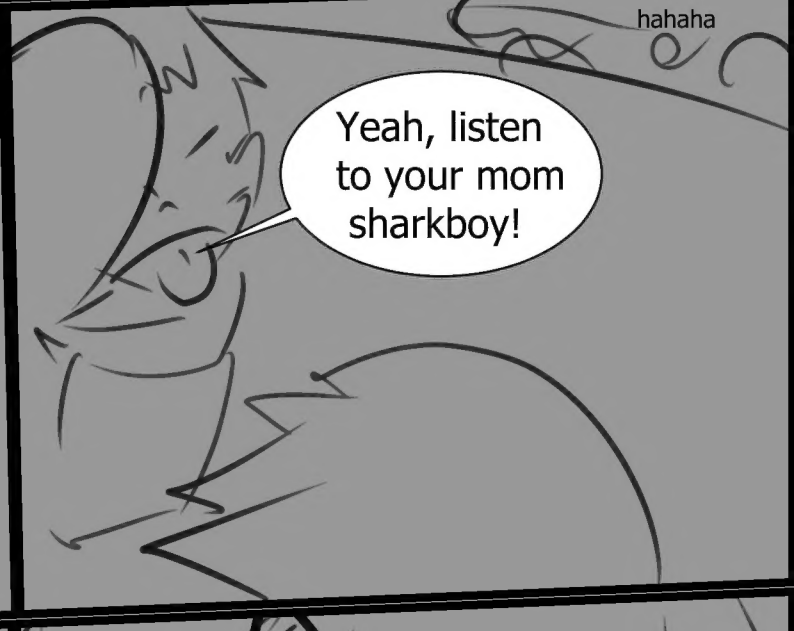
You're laughing
at me...



What? I'm
just happy,
leave me
alone!

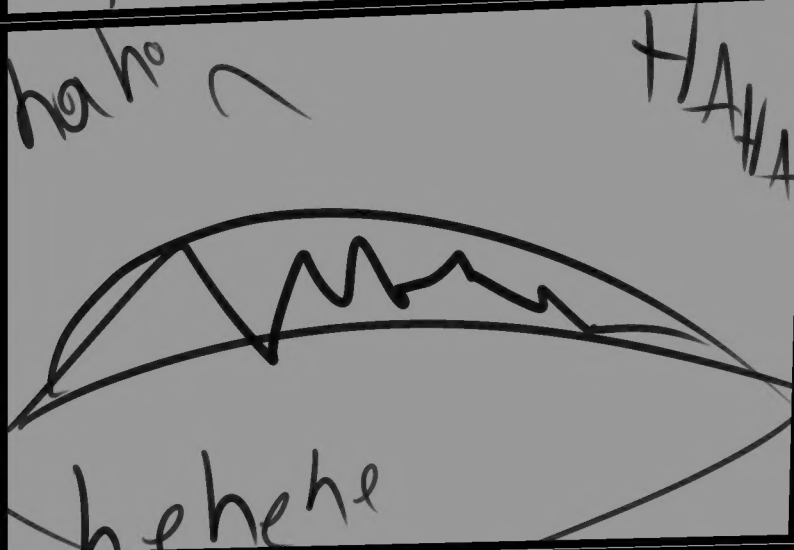


Soul, let it go,
don't embarrass
yourself and us
more than you
already did



hahaha

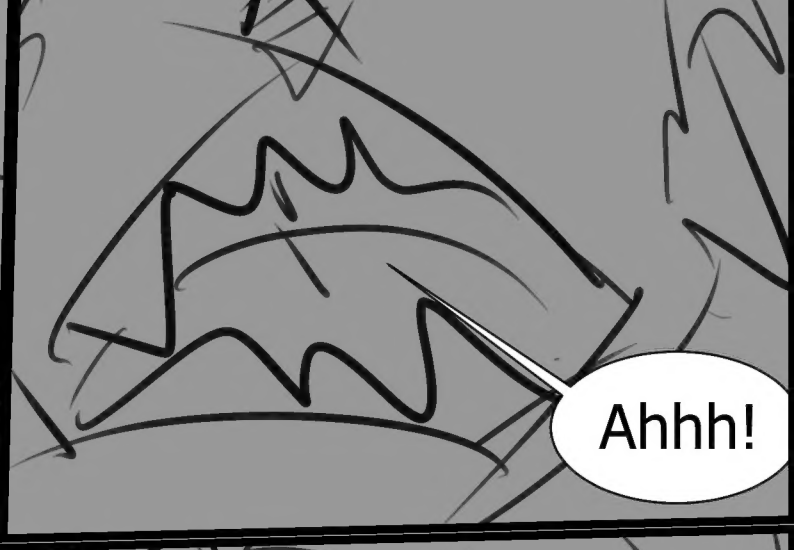
Yeah, listen
to your mom
sharkboy!



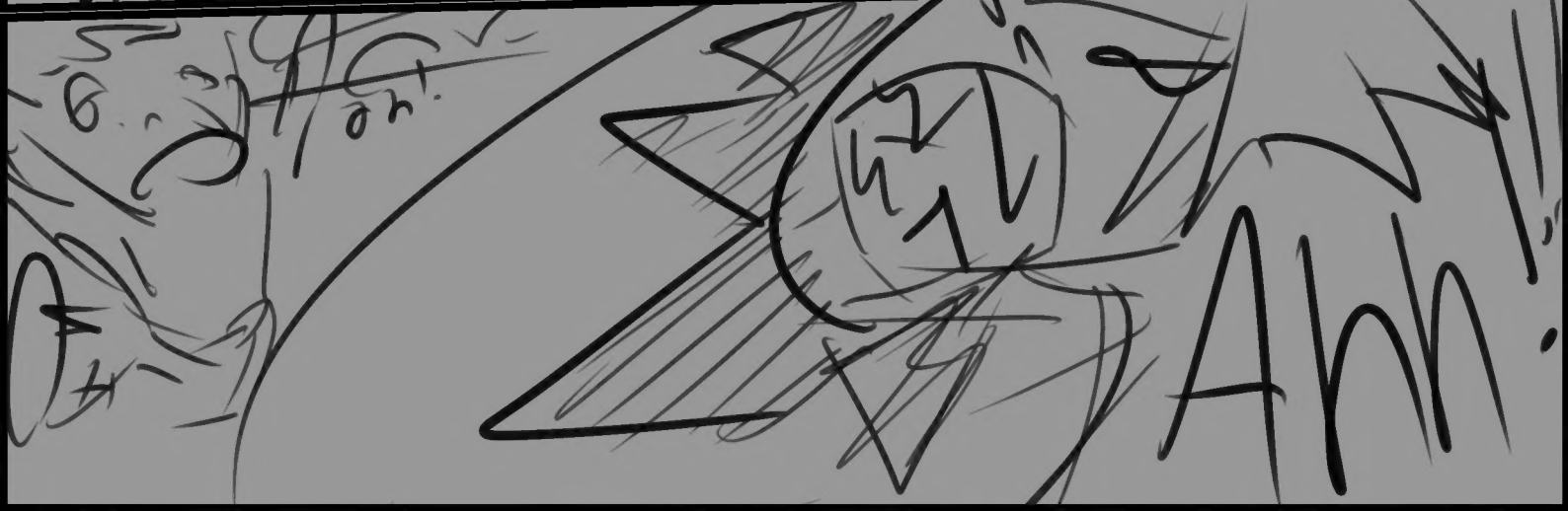
haha

HAHA

hehehe



Ahhh!



Ahh!



I have to save...

But the fire... my wounds...

Strength...
Power....

I'm sorry Maka...

I hope you
will understand
that I had
no choice...

I'll be dead
either way...

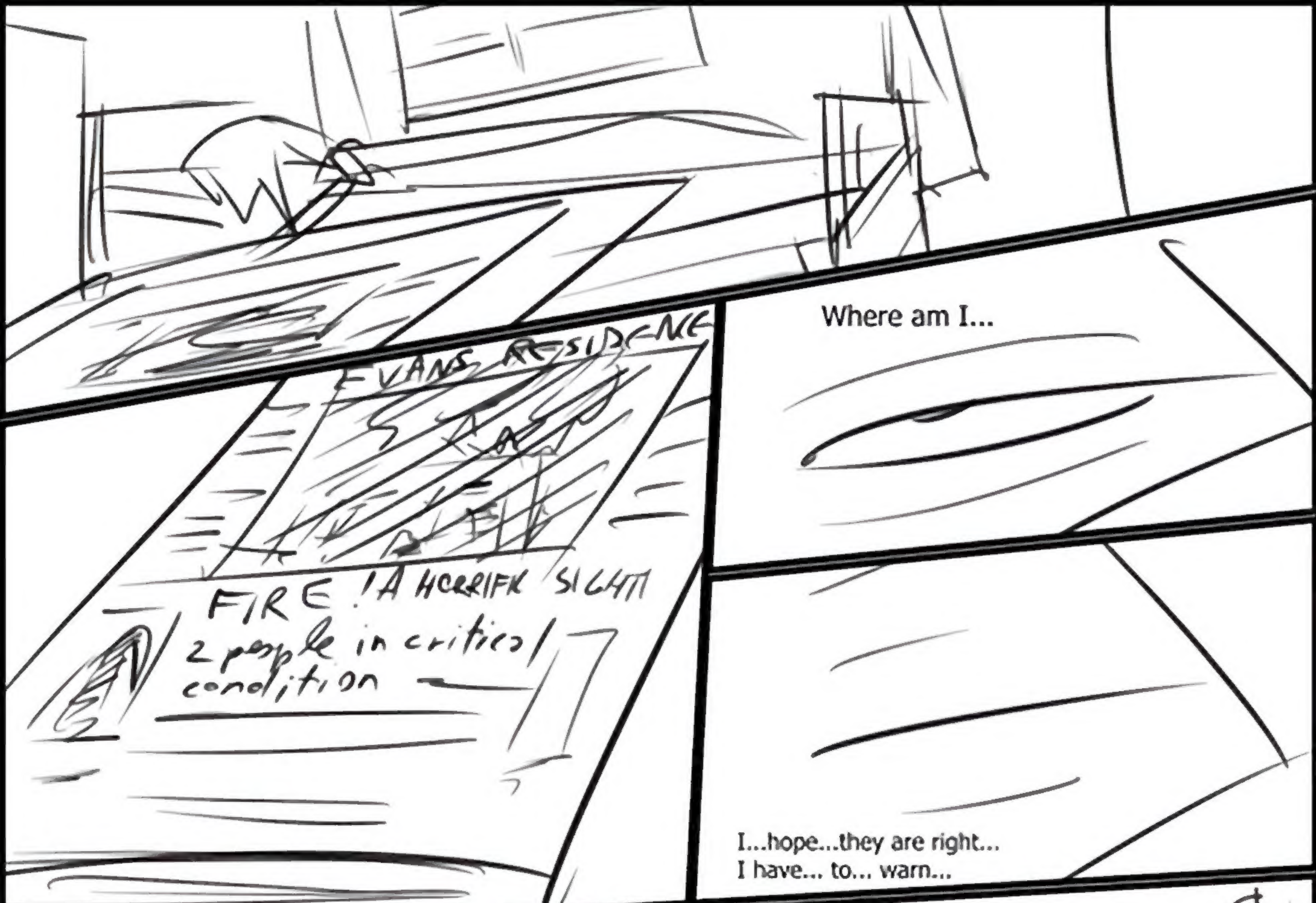
whats happening..

Go go, there are still
people who are alive!

my family...

Good job kid! Hey you still there?

He needs bloods,
we are loosing him
fast!



Where am I...

I...hope...they are right...
I have... to... warn...



Oh my
poor
poor
little
angel...

Soul..
please
wake up...

CHAPTER 7 END